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SARAH HERRICK
(BRIG)

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TRANSCRIPT

Falmouth, June 1st 1820

Capt. Moses Chase,

Sir, You will proceed

From hence with the Brig Sarah Herrick on a whaling
Voyage to the coast of Virginia, commonly called
the southern ground, and there cruise
one month, and as much longer as you may think best;
from thence you will go to the Western Islands'
whaling ground, and there cruise till October, or
as much longer as your judgement shall direct,
from thence if you shall have gotten any oil,
you shall touch at one of the Western or Cape
de Verd Islands & ship your oil to me at Falmouth
or to Nantucket, to the care of William Coffin, Esq.
or to N. Bedford, to the care of Sans Wing, or to N. York,
to the care of Mr Fish or Grinnell, or to Boston
to the care of Isaac and Stephen Jenney , or to Portsmouth,
to the care of I & S Jenney. You will not
return with the Brig unless you obtain four

Hundred Bbls. Oil, or upwards, till the time for which you are fitted has expired, or your provisions are all consumed. From the Western and Cape de Verd Islands, if you shall not have obtained a full cargo of oil, you will proceed to any other place or coast as your judgement shall dictate, and cruise till your provisions are consumed, or your Brig full of oil.

You are hereby authorized to draw Bills on me for any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, at ten days sight, for anything that may be wanted on board the Brig Sarah Herrick. If you should be shipwrecked, you are authorized to draw for the amount of your repairs, etc. You are earnestly requested to write to me every opportunity that presents. When the Brig's bends get under water you will paint them with verdigris once a month at least. You are further requested to deliver the clothes

out of the shop chest to any of your crew, that in your opinion may need them, & charge them with the price marked upon each article.

Should you obtain any oil on the Southern ground, if you think proper you may touch at Norfolk & ship it home, as before directed.

You will keep a regular Log Book & Board and if any misfortune should befall your vessel, you will regularly protest at the first port at which you arrive.

Yours respectfully, E Swift

June 12 th	Disbursements Brig Sarah Herrick	
1820	of Falmouth	Moses Chase
		\$ cts
	for watering at Fairhaven Cove	1.05
Aug 10	for _____ leather	1.30
	port charges at Flores	4.50
Oct 4	for water at Flores	3.00
	port charges at St Vincent	9.50
Nov 4 th	for fresh supplies	13.50
	Port charges at St Gago	8.50
	for fresh supplies	22.50
	for half barrel tar	3.00
November 5 th	for one dozen plats	6.85
		1.50
February	port charges St. Thomas	20.00
9 th 1821	fresh supplies	38.00

		126.35

Inventory of Provisions & c. on board the
Brig Sarah Herrick

30	Bbls. ____ Beef	
11	Da. Da. Pork	
3	Tons Bread	
8	Bbls. Molasses	
3	Da. N.E. Rum	96 $\frac{3}{4}$
$\frac{1}{2}$	Da. St. Croix Rum	16
1	D. Dried Apples	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels
10	Bushels Beans	
2	Tubs Butter	105
10	Cheeses	123
1	Bag Coffee	100
2	Bbls. Cider	
1	Box ____ Chocolate	50
6	Barrels Corn	18 $\frac{3}{4}$ bushels
3	quintals Cod fish	
6	Bottles Oil Spruce	
7	tbs Ginger	
4	“ Mustard	
3	“ Pepper	
2	“ Pimento	

13 ½	Bushels Pease	
20	Bushels Potatoes	
1	Cask Rice	
1 ½	Crt. Brown Sugar	
21	tbs White Havanna Do.	
50	“ Souchong Tea	
12	Bunches Onions	
2	Barrels Bread	
1	Box Candles	
1	Do Soap	60 “

Invoice of clothes in Brig Sarah Herrick's
Slop Chest

4	Thick Jackets	Blue	@ 7.84	31.36
3	Do Do.	Brown	" 7.36	22.08
3	Do Do.	Blue	" 7.50	22.50
6	Thin Do.	White	" 1.53	9.18
12	Thick Trousers	Brown	" 3.09	37.08
6 Pr.	Thin Do.	White	" 1.17	7.02
12	Shirts		" 2.06	24.72
4	Do.		" 1.75	7.00
12 Pr.	Stockings		" .51	6.12
6 Pr.	Do.		" .60	3.60
2 Pr.	Mittens		" .30	.60
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				171.26
½ keg Tobacco 89lbs. 8 heads to the lbs @ .23				20.47
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				\$191.43
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25 Pr.	Shoes		@ 1.62	40.62
Total				<hr/>
				\$232.35

October	Isac Farmham to Moses charged	3.09
9 th 1820	for one pair thick trousers brown	
December	William Mingo one pair thin	1.50
28 th	Cornelas Bradford one Baze shirt	2.06
	William Mingo two thick shirts	04.12
March	Nicholas Frognet Do. One	2.06
28 th	Frederick Cartwright Do. One	2.06
April	Rueben Eldridge two par Do.	4.12
19 th	Lot Landers one pair trousers	03.09
	William Mingo Do.	03.09
	Cornelas Bradford one shirt	02.06
	Leonard Nye Do. Two	04.12
May 6 th	Nathaniel Coleman Do. Two	04.12
	Cornelas Bradford pair trousers	03.9
	Do. James Davis	3.9
	William Brooks	3.9
	Leonard Nye	3.9

October	Frederick Cartwright one par trousers	03.09
7 th	Joseph Westerfield Do.	03.09
1821	Isac Farnham Do	03.09
	Do. One pair stockings	00.51
	William Mingo one pair	00.51
	Moses Chase one jacket	07.84
	Nicholas Pagnet one pair stockings	00.51
	Joseph Westefield one jacket	07.50
	Leonard Gaye one pr stockings	00.60
	Fredrich Cartwright one pr shoes	01.62

September

9th

Nathaniel Coleman Do

20

For two bars hard soap

William Oliver Do

Nicholas Pagent one

Isac Farnham Do

Lat London Do

Federick Cartwright Do

Cornealas Bradford Do

William Mingo Do

Isac Farnham Do

\$ cts

tobabcco

Nathaniel Coleman one lb tobacco

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Lot Landers two lbs

46

Nathaniel Coleman Do

46

William Allen Do

46

Cornealas Bradford Do

46

James Davis Do

46

Lot Landers Do

46

Lot Landers Do

46

William Allen Do

46

Cornealas Bradford Do

46

James Davis Do

46

	Nathaniel Coleman Do	00	46
	Leonard Nye Do		46
	Nathaniel Coleman one		23
	Cornealas Bradford Do		23
	William Allen Do		23
	James Davis Do		23
	Lot Landers Do		23
Shoes	Federick Cartwright two for	03	24
	Lot Landers one for	1	62
	William Allen Do	1	62
	Nathaniel Coleman two for	03	24
	James Davis one for	1	62
	Wiliam Oliver Do	1	62
	Isac Farnham two for	3	24
	Will Mingo one for	1	62

July

1821	Frederick Cartwright for cash lent	\$	cts
	at _____	06	00
	Leonard Nye	05	00
	Cornelas Bradford	02	40
	Cornelas Bradford	01	25
	William Allen	01	25
	Nathaniel Coleman	01	25
	James Davis Do	01	25
	Frederick Cartwright	01	20
	Lot Landers	10	00
	Nathaniel Coleman	05	00
	James Davis	1	25
	Frederick Cartwright	5	00
	Leonard Nye	5	00
	Will Mingo	2	00
	_____ Eldridge	6	00
	Isac Farnham	1	00
	William Brooks	5	00
	Lot Landers	2	00
	Nathaniel Coleman	1	50
	Frederick Coleman	1	20

	Frederick Cartwright	05	00
	William Mingo	01	60
_____	Nathaniel Coleman	01	20
January	Frederick Cartwright to Moses		
1822	Do for cash lent at that place	06	00
	Lot Landers Do	04	80
	_____ Eldridge	04	80
	Nathaniel Coleman	01	20
	William Oliver Do	00	60
	Will Alley	02	40
	James Davis	00	50
	William Brooks	00	60
	Isac Farnham	00	60
	Nicholas Pagent	00	50
	Will Mingo Do	00	50
	Isac Farnham	00	60
	Nathaniel Coleman	02	60
	William Mingo	02	40
	Will Allen	04	80
	James Davis	02	40
	Leonard Nye	01	25
	William Mingo	00	50

July	Cash Payd at Providence	\$	cts
1821	for pilotage	10	00
	for nails	08	00
	for seven hundred revets	06	00
	a lighter for fresh water	05	40
	for 23 fathoms of cordage	04	80
	for one old _____	07	00
	payd the Counsel for a Sertificate	02	25
	for one tanned hide	02	90
	for 40 lbs fresh beef & vegetables	10	00
	for _____ iron drivers Coopers	02	40
	for knives	02	00
	for two pair shoes	05	00
	for one pair hinges	00	45
	for three scenes of sail twine	00	60
	for two _____ log paper	00	60
	Coopers tack bits	00	70
	One Cog of Tobacco 75 lbs	35	00
	for nine Baze shirts \$1.85	09	65
	one pair but hinges	00	45
	one tanned hide	02	90
	4 pair thin trousers each \$1.20	04	80

for one coil of cordage	05	60
Cash payd for Sextan	45	00